

Tony Evers, Governor | Mary M. Kolar, Secretary

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Dear King Members, Friends, and Family:

I hope this letter finds you healthy.

Test results continue to come in from our latest round of universal testing for COVID-19 on campus. Despite strict prevention efforts, we are sorry to have to report that three more members and three more staff have been diagnosed with COVID-19. This means that currently, there are eight members and four staff with coronavirus. Seven of these members reside in Olson Hall and the other lives in MacArthur. Of the staff who have tested positive, three work in Olson Hall and one does not directly interact with members. We also have six staff with coronavirus symptoms who are not working as they await test results. We are all working hard towards the recovery of those who have tested positive and expect to know the results of those who have been tested soon.

As a reminder, the following steps are taken on campus when we have cases of COVID-19:

- Members with COVID-19 are moved to a quarantine area.
- A very limited number of staff work with the infected members. These staff have been trained in infectious disease control and wear the appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) including N95 masks and face shields.
- Staff follow the guidance of the Centers for Disease Control and the Department of Health Services regarding contact tracing, additional testing, and quarantining others as necessary.
- Staff diagnosed with COVID-19 must complete quarantine or test negative twice following their positive diagnosis.

## As always, we are:

- Taking extra environmental safety precautions, such as cleaning and disinfecting high-touch surfaces;
- Screening and monitoring members, staff, and essential visitors for COVID-19 symptoms; and
- Prohibiting non-essential visits.

Again, I cannot stress enough how important it is for us all to follow the guidance of health officials to continue to stay home as much as possible, wear a mask when out and maintain at least six feet from others, and wash our hands frequently.

Sincerely,

Tammy Servatius, Commandant

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